**Fancy Bear**

APT28 // Pawn Storm // Sofacy Group // Sednit // STRONTIUM

**Criminal Activity:**

* Nation-state level espionage
* Theft of Intellectual Property

Fancy Bear is the pseudonym given to an advanced nation-state group thought to operate out of Russia, likely in conjunction with Russian government and intelligence. They are thought to be the group that hacked into the DNC and released Presidential Candidate Hillary Clinton’s emails in late 2016.

Fancy Bear, also popularly known as APT28 and the Sofacy Group, specializes in politically motivated hacking.